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## Clinic & Village-Med-Outreaches

Thanks for praying for us!

### Our Schedule:

Seeing patients at Uzima mission clinic, daily, Mon.- Sat.

Seeing patients at Mzenga village, 2 days monthly.

Teaching in local high-schools.  
Piano/singing in church.

Delivering babies...  
Seeing HIV-patients...

Praying with patients...

### Prayer requests:

- *Salvation for the many needy, Muslims along the coast of TZ! Boldness in sharing Jesus!!*
- *God's healing for the sick people that come to our clinic.*
- *Wisdom, as we see patients.*
- *Humility. Deeper prayer-times.*
- *Holiness, Love, Joy, Patience, Peace, Kindness, Self-Control, Faith. Look for the good in others, not the bad.*

- *A strong marriage!*

Hi there! How are things? What's new? Thanks for your faithful prayers! God is GOOD!

Praise God! The medical work at Uzima Mission Clinic (UMC) is going very well! The word has gone out, & many people are coming for care. As we see them, examine them, treat them, pray for them, & share about Jesus with them, may they be healed of their illnesses, & also, come to believe in Jesus as their personal Savior!

God arranged a neat miracle last month! While Deborah & I were seeing patients in the Muslim village, Mzenga, a young lady's uncle came to us asking for us to bring her to the local hospital to deliver her baby. We did, then we stayed to help the mid-wife there. After checking her, we found the baby to be breech (coming out butt-first, not head-first). Praise God for the healthy baby boy we helped her deliver, for the chance to share God's love with her & her family, & for the perfect timing that He showed in this whole event! Coincidence? I think not! Normally, there are NO doctors in that hospital. God arranged that she would deliver at the exact time when 2 fully-trained doctors were in that little village. I wonder what great plans God has for that little baby boy! Please pray for Tim & Emily Tanner, the missionaries that are living/serving in Mzenga.

Are you interested in coming out here, to Tanzania, for a short-term mission trip? We could use any medical workers – but especially, a dentist. If you can do some construction-work, we could use you too. If you can donate more time, we could use a pre-school teacher also!

### What has God been teaching me lately?

Why has God called me/you to this particular place/job/situation? Is there something He has prepared for me to do here? Is there someone that I can share the Gospel to, that God has prepared his/her heart already, to hear about Jesus? Listen to the Holy Spirit's quiet guidance. Obey. I need to be calm, humble, content, unselfish. Anger/pride/greed will cause me all kinds of trouble. Character. Integrity. Faith. Correct others when needed, but in LOVE! Keep God #1 in my plans/thoughts/heart.

God bless you, our friends! Love, *Joel & Deborah*



Dr. Joel at Mzenga village



YWAM's Uzima Mission Clinic



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